

# THE BOWDEN NEWS

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## Local News

Bowden Fair, Oct 3rd.  
Mr J Bernard is spending a two weeks vacation in Gadsbury.  
Call in and pay your membership fee for 1911 to the secretary of the Agricultural Society.  
More light. See Perrin's drug store, evenings.  
Mrs Guest of Hamilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs R Billington.  
Miss Barton of Olds was the guest of Miss M Dixon over Sunday.  
Mr R W Prowse left last Thursday to join his family in Chilliwack, B C, where they will reside in future.

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## Cupid's Conquests

### Johnson, Arnold

A quiet wedding was solemnized in Calgary on Wednesday when Mrs T Arnold became the wife of Mr Frank Johnson, one of Bowden's most popular young farmers.

### Hayward, Whitlock

On Saturday evening, Sept 23rd, Mr Percy J Hayward and Miss Gertrude S Whitlock were joined together in the bonds of holy matrimony at the residence of Mr George Whitlock, the home of the bride, before a gathering of relatives and friends. The bride, attired in a dress of gold beaded net over satin, looked very charming. She was given away by her father. Mr Minot Stinson acted as best man, and Miss O Hayward, dressed in cream satin, as chief bridesmaid. The marriage ceremony was conducted by Rev A McClain Bunting, the incumbent of St Matthew's Church, and the wedding march was played by Miss Annie Hayward. The presents were numerous and costly. The happy couple to whom we offer our felicitations will reside on the bridegroom's farm.

### Bowden Fair, Oct 3rd.

Mr Milton Whitlock is spending a few days with his parents this week.

Judging from the entries already received, the Fair is going to be the best yet.

Mr and Mrs G Randal of Calgary are business visitors in Bowden this week.

Mrs J L Bernard went to Lacombe last Sunday to spend a few days with her parents.

Don't forget, you haven't paid your membership fee (\$1.00) to the Agricultural Society for 1911 yet.

The Boy Scouts are requested to meet at the school grounds at 3 o'clock sharp, Saturday. Members kindly attend as this is a very important practice.

Don't hobble. Wear Scolls foot-eazers; they ease tired feet and afford the greatest comfort so you can step out like a four-year-old. Get them at Perrin's drug store, Bowden.

## Obituary

### Miss Margery Foster

We regret to announce the death of Margery Foster, only daughter of Mr and Mrs George Foster of Lone Pine, after a short illness. Margery was born in Pence, Scott County, Kansas, on Dec 24th, 1898 and died on Thursday Sept 14th, aged 13 years, 9 months. The funeral took place on Sunday when a special service was held in Lone Pine schoolhouse. Rev W M Chalmers and Rev F E Davies conducted the Service. Mrs Davies sang a solo and Mr Evans presided at the organ. At the close of a solemn and impressive service the Funeral Cortege proceeded to Bowden Cemetery where the Rev F E Davies conducted the Committal Service. A numerous company of neighbors and friends were present to show their sympathy with the sorrowing parents.

### Mr F W Bryenton

Mr F W Bryenton, one of Bowden's most popular business men passed away at his residence on Hammond st on Wednesday morning at 11.30 o'clock. Since coming to Bowden about a year ago, Mr Bryenton had been in poor health, suffering from an injury he received to his spine while engaged in the mercantile business at Spring Lake, Alta. During his residency in Bowden, Mr Bryenton has made a host of friends, and the loss of their fellow citizen is keenly felt by all.

Mr Bryenton was born in Prince Edward Island but came to the West in his early manhood entering into business in British Columbia, where he lived for three years, when he disposed of his business and came to Alberta. For three years he conducted a large general mercantile business at Spring Lake, Alta, but his health failing, he disposed of his interests and came to Bowden, purchasing the confectionery store owned by Mr W H Luckhardt, believing that by entering this lighter business he could regain his health and secure in a measure a rest. This was not to be for the injury he had sustained forced him on different occasions to go to Banff for treatment, from where he returned very little improved.

About two months ago, Mr Bryenton was forced to remain at his home and give up his activities in business. His condition grew steadily worse, a complication of diseases setting in which ended in his death.

The deceased leaves a widow and four young children to mourn his loss, besides his aged mother, three sisters, and a brother.

Beginning next week the White Swan Creamery will buy all kinds of live poultry at the highest market price. The fowl will be received on Friday of each week at the creamery where the price quotations may be obtained on application. The classing and grading of birds will be done under the regulations published in the ad "Poultry Wanted" on page six.

Mr J I Brewster and family have removed to Calgary. Mr Brewster was one of the oldest residents of Bowden, where he has resided some twenty-five years. In public life he has ever been to the fore, and has always identified himself very closely with the development of the town. For many years he was a school trustee, and has served on the village council. He is a justice of the peace, and a mason of the thirty-third degree. He is also deputy game warden and fire guardian for the Province of Alberta. Mr Brewster will be much missed in the town, but Bowden's loss will be Calgary's gain.

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## Woman's Garden

### Garden Asters.

One of the most popular annuals is the aster. The flowers are borne in profusion on long stems and in pleasing colors. They are excellent for cutting, and any amateur gardener with an aster bed may have a profusion of blossoms for home decoration.

If early flowers are desired it is best to obtain plants which have been started indoors during the early spring months. They will stand considerable cold provided they have been given severe treatment from the start, but if they have been grown in warm houses they are easily injured by frost.

For a succession of blooms, sowings may be made every two weeks until the 1st of June, which will insure a continuous crop until October provided both early and late varieties are grown.

Asters thrive best in a rather rich, moist soil and give best results when never allowed to suffer from want of water. The early varieties should be planted one foot apart each way and the late branching varieties eighteen inches apart each way. By restricting each plant to a limited number of flowers the blossoms will grow much larger and more perfect in form. With the late branching varieties fine blossoms may be had by breaking the center bud and allowing only four to six of the strongest side growths to remain.

### Hardy Chrysanthemums.

Chrysanthemums which will perfect their flowers in the northern states out of doors before the frost comes are not numerous. Your florist can tell you what varieties are suitable for your locality.

Planting should not be done until all danger of frost is over. Select a sheltered position, if possible one with a southern aspect. Chrysanthemums are partial to a very rich, well drained soil and require a liberal supply of water. They soon suffer if allowed to become dry. Plant either in masses about a foot apart to secure general effect or plant single specimens to secure symmetrical plants.

A position with a southern aspect is particularly advantageous in the more northern localities, and if planted to the south of a building, fence, shrubbery or some other protection they are guarded from early frosts, which blacken and ruin the buds. As the plants are gross feeders, the soil should be well enriched, and after the buds are formed an inch top dressing of well rotted manure will be beneficial. At the close of the flowering season the plants should be cut back to within five inches of the ground and given a light covering of leaves to protect them through the winter.

Not every one knows that there is a variety of celery called root celery, which produces a large root like a turnip and makes an exceedingly fine salad vegetable. The seed is sown and the plants are transplanted just as the better known variety, but when the roots are large enough, which is about the middle of autumn, they are dug as wanted, the tops trimmed off and the roots scraped and boiled until tender. They are served pickled in vinegar or with salad dressing.

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### He "Tumbled"

William Jennings Bryan, whom the people of the United States came to look upon as a permanent "also ran" candidate for the presidency, has a great fund of stories, and he doesn't keep back those in which the joke was at his expense.

Speaking to the Toronto Press Club, he referred to his several unsuccessful attempts to become president. "My experience," he said, "reminds me of what happened to a man who went to a dance in a place in a southern state while he was intoxicated."

"He became somewhat noisy, and was asked to keep quiet. But he kept on being noisy and, after being warned, was put out. He made his way back into the hall, and was put out none too gently. Once more he went in, and this time he was thrown out in somewhat rough fashion."

"He got up slowly, straightened himself, and looked at the entrance to the hall."

"I know what's the matter," he said. "They don't want me in there."

### Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff

Old Gentleman—"Well, my little man, how old are you?" Tommy Ruffian—"My age varies, sir. When I'm railway travelling I'm under 12, but when I go to fetch the beer I'm over 14."

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### Forced Upon Them

"It is reported that whiskers are coming back into style."

"That is probably due to the arrival of the trousers skirt."

"What has the trousers skirt to do with whiskers?"

"The men must have some way of keeping themselves from looking like women."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Don't you think that your devotion to politics is hurting your health?" "I'm not in politics for my health."—Toledo Blade.

Cook, did you stay long in your last place?" "I never stays nowhere long enough to be discharged. I's one of these fireless cookers."—Judge.

For your own sake, don't wait until it happens. It may be a headache, toothache, earache, or some painful accident. Hamlin's Wizard Oil will cure it. Get a bottle now.

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"Thank heaven for that!" exclaimed a pathetic voice from the gallery.

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### The Man Who Wouldn't Listen

The story is told that the man who rode the horse down the valley to Johnstown, Pennsylvania, and warned the people, afterwards died and went to heaven. At the gate he met St. Peter, and at once opened up conversation. "Well, St. Peter, don't you know me? Why, I am 'Enry 'Awkins, the man that rode the horse down the valley and saved all the lives the time of the Johnstown flood. Remember me?"

St. Peter smiled kindly and pointed to a front seat. Afterwards, every new arrival of importance was greeted by the genial Hawkins in the same way. "I am 'Enry 'Awkins, the man that rode the horse," etc.

One day, Hawkins came back to St. Peter and again opened up conversation.

"Remember me, Pete? 'Enry 'Awkins, the man that rode the horse down the valley at the time of the Johnstown flood?"

St. Peter remembered him.

"Say, Peter, I have had a good time and everybody is glad to see me, and they all want to hear about that ride down the valley. But, say, who is that old guy over there with the long whiskers? Whenever I go up to him and tell him that I am 'Enry 'Awkins the man that rode down the valley at the time of the Johnstown flood, he gets up and goes away. He doesn't seem to be a bit interested. Who is he anyway?"

"That old gentleman over there on the second seat, you mean?" said Peter.

"Yes, that's 'im."

"You ought to know him. His name is Noah."

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Shanghai.—Letters from Canton give disquieting accounts of an ingenious device of the revolutionaries to distribute seditious pamphlets in the guise of gospels published by the British and Foreign Bible society, and other missionary societies. One of the participants in the recent attack on Admiral Li Chun was observed to throw away a box which was found to contain bombs concealed beneath two gospels. These books are readily obtainable, and thus the revolutionaries easily pose as mission colporteurs.

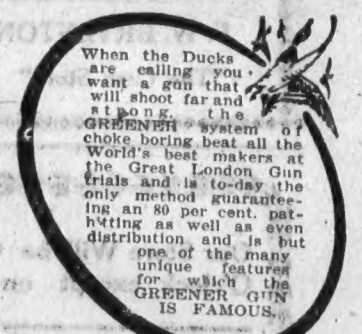
The revolutionary scare in Canton is possibly overrated, but the authorities are most nervous and the wealthy continue to quit the city. The missions have been requested to temporarily suspend the street sales.

Hope For the Chronic Dyspeptic.—Through lack of consideration of the body's needs many persons allow disorders of the digestive apparatus to endure until they become chronic, filling days and nights with suffering. To these a course of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills is recommended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills are specially compounded to combat dyspepsia and the many ills that follow in its train, and they are successful always.

Margaret—"Isn't it strange?" Katherine—"What?" Margaret—"That many a woman who has bleached her hair wants to keep it dark."—Life.

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He was born in St. Lin, Quebec, in 1841, of a family of rebels who fought bravely under Papineau in the revolt of 1837. From the little country school where his teacher, a Scotchman, spurred his ambition and powerfully influenced his life, he passed to L'Assomption College, and in 1864, after completing his course in law, entered the Bar. When he made his debut in politics in 1871 as a member of the Quebec Assembly, his magic eloquence, the fearlessness, strength and finality of his words, and the mastery by which he brought order out of chaos, light out of darkness, thrilled his audience.

Three years later he resigned from the Legislature and was returned to the House of Commons on the overthrow of the Macdonald government. In 1876 he became minister of inland revenue, and two years later changes in politics deprived him of this position. He was the acknowledged leader of the Liberals who were the Opposition party until 1896, when after eighteen years of waiting, the reins of government again came into their hands and in the first flush of triumph they made him Premier.

Tall, erect, with a handsome presence, clean-shaven face, clear, penetrating blue eyes, a firm mouth, broad shoulders, a brow masterful and dignified, a voice soft, sonorous and ever with the suggestion of unexpended reserve, a smile gentle and soothing as a benediction, with a courtesy and kindness that surrounded him as an aura—this is Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Canada's greatest statesman.

## The Fallen Chieftain

"We have fallen in a high and honorable cause. We have received a check, but we shall come back again to the fight. I thank you for what you have done for me for thirty years today. We have lost, but our cause shall prevail."

There was a moment's hush in the smoke-filled, dimly-lighted hall of the St. Peter's Market when the speaker had finished the words. It was one of those moments when no one could applaud. Friends and foes alike were silent, and the tall, grey-haired man, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, bowed slightly and was silent. Then came a sudden hand-clap, and the shell was broken.

E. B. Devlin followed, bold, rugged and courageous, but the eye of the assembly was not on him. As he stepped forward to the edge of the platform, Sir Wilfrid moved back to the table and stood, for a moment, his head bowed as in deep thought, and no one spoke to him.

The few who witnessed the scene in the big barracks of the market building, when Sir Wilfrid went to get the returns about eight o'clock at night, will not forget it. It was one of the big moments of a nation's history, and the man on whom every eye was fixed was the nation's biggest man. It was more than the fall of a government, it was the checking of an idea, and the end of a tradition, the turning of the tide. Men have died for a lesser thing. This was the wrenching away of power which is some times more than life. The thing lifted itself above its dim drab surroundings and stood upon a pinnacle, and the words which fell from the man's lips were weighed with a great import, which victory itself would not have brought. The man has been great in his many hours of victory, but never greater than in his hour of defeat. Splendid courage, firm resolve triumphing

over bitter defeat, the will and the heart holding up the tired body—indomitable pluck, clear grit to the end. It was almost worth being beaten to have been present when the end came. Every eye was on him as he passed through the rotunda of the Chateau de Frontenac, but those who looked for bowed head and drooping shoulders were disappointed. Had he been returning in triumph he could not have held himself more erect. The chattering telegraph instrument was still when he got up again to go to his suite. There was no crowding of exultant visitors to shake his hand to let him, the powerful one, see how devoted they were.—Mr. Devlin and Mr. Paradis alone accompanied him to his room, and far into the night they sat talking things over.

All his friends in Quebec are thinking of him today. "What about the chief; how is he taking it?" was the question that met you on every side.

The chief, "He is taking it like a chief."

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Moth; The Weight of the Crown;  
The Corner House; The Slaves of  
Silence; Driven Fortune; The  
Fatal Dose; Netta.

(Continued.)

Fenwick could have cried aloud had he been physically able to do so. There was no reason for a light to be struck or the gas to be lighted so that he might see the face of the speaker. Indeed, he recognized the voice far too well for that. A moment later he was gazing at the impassive face of Felix Zary.

"You did not expect to see me," the latter said. "You were under the impression that you were going to get away from me. Never did man make a greater mistake. It matters little what you do, it will matter nothing to you or anybody else in twelve hours from now. Do you realize the fact that you have but that time to live? Do you understand that?"

"You would murder me?" Fenwick said hoarsely.

"You may calm yourself on that score. You are unarmed, and I have not so much as a pocket knife in my possession. I shall not lay a hand upon you—I shall not peril my soul for the sake of a creature like you. There are other ways and other methods of which you know nothing."

"How did you get here?" Fenwick asked hoarsely. "How did you put that dread thing on my table?"

Zary smiled in a strange, bland fashion. He could have told Fenwick prosaically what a man with a grasp like his could do with a water pipe. He could have told, also, how he had dogged and watched his victim within the last few hours, with the pertinacity of a bloodhound. But Zary could see how Fenwick was shaken and dazed by some terrible thing which he could not understand. It was no cue of Zary's to enlighten the miserable man opposite.

"There are things utterly beyond your comprehension," he said, calmly. "If you look back to the past you will remember how we laid our mark upon the man who stole the Four Finger Mine. That man, I need not say, was yourself. To gain your ends you did not scruple to take the life of your greatest friend, the greatest benefactor you ever had."

You thought the thing out carefully. You devised a cunning scheme whereby you might become rich and powerful at the expense of George Le Fenu, and scarcely was the earth dry upon his coffin before your warnings came. You knew the legend of the Four Finger Mine and you elected to defy it. A week went by, a week during which you took the gold from the mine, and all seemed well with you. Then you woke one morning to find that in the night you had lost your forefinger without the slightest pain and with very little loss of blood. That was the first sign of the vengeance of the genius of the mine. Shaken and frightened as you were, you hardened your heart, like Pharaoh of old, and determined to continue. Another week passed, and yet another finger vanished in the same mysterious fashion. Still, you decided to stand the test, and your third warning came. With the fourth warning, your nerves utterly gave way, and you fled from the mine with less ill-gotten gain than you had expected. It matters nothing to me what followed afterwards, but you will admit that at the present moment you have not benefited much by your crime. I have nothing more to say to you. I only came here tonight just to prove to you how impossible it is for you to hide from the vengeance of the mine. In your last bitter moments I want you to think of my words and realize—"

As Zary spoke he moved across the room in the direction of the gas bracket; he laid his hand upon the tap, and a moment later the room was in darkness. There was a sound like the sliding of a window, followed by a sudden rush of cold air and by the time that Fenwick had found his matches and lighted the gas again there was not so much as a trace of Zary to be seen.

"I wish I hadn't thrown away the key of that cupboard," Fenwick said hoarsely. "I would give half I possess for one drop of brandy now. Still, I won't give in, I won't be beaten by that fellow. At any rate, he can't possibly know what I intend to do. He could not know that I shall be on board a vessel before morning."

Half an hour later Fenwick left the house and made his way straight to the Docks. At a public-house hard by he obtained the brandy that he needed so badly, and felt a little stiffened and braced up by the spirit. He found presently the thing he wanted, in the shape of a large barque bound for the River Plate. The skipper, a burly-looking man with an enormous black beard, was unreasonably drunk, but not quite so intoxicated that he could not see the business side of a bargain.

"Oh, you want to go out with me, mister?" he said. "Well, that's easily enough managed. We've got no passengers on board, and you'll have to rough it with the rest of us. I don't mind taking you on for fifty pounds."

"That's a lot of money," Fenwick protested.

The black-bearded skipper winked solemnly at the speaker.

"There's always a risk in dealing with stolen goods," he said. "Besides, fifty pounds isn't much for a man who wants to get out of the country as badly as I see you do, and once I have passed my word to do it, I'll see you safe through, and so will my crew, or I'll know the reason why. Now, my yellow pal, fork out that money, and in half an hour you'll be as safe as if you were on the other side of the herring-pond and not a policeman in London will know where to find you. Now, is it a bargain, or not?"

Fenwick made no further demur; he accepted the conditions there and then. There was nothing to be gained by affecting to pose as an honest man, and he was a little frightened to find how easily this drunken ruffian had spotted him for a fugitive from justice.

"I can't give you the money just now," he whispered. "I've got it concealed about me, and to produce a lot of cash in a mixed company like this would be too dangerous."

The skipper nodded and proposed further refreshment. Fenwick agreed eagerly enough; he was feeling desperate now, and he did not seem to care much what happened. He could afford to place himself entirely in the hands of the black-bearded skipper, who would look after him closely for his own sake. After all said and done, he had no cause to doubt the honesty of the seaman, who appeared to be fairly popular with his companions and well known in the neighborhood. It was the best part of an hour before the commander of the barque staggered to his feet and announced in an incoherent voice that it was time to get aboard. Presently they were straggling down to the dock, Fenwick propping up his companion and wondering if the latter was sober enough to find his way to his ship. The skipper stumbled down a flight of steps and into a roomy boat, which was prevented from capsizing by something like a miracle. Presently they came alongside the black hull of a vessel, and Fenwick found himself climbing up a greasy ladder on to a dirty deck, where two seamen were passing the time playing a game of cards. Down below, the skipper indicated a stuffy little bunk leading out of his own cabin, which he informed Fenwick would be placed at his disposal for the voyage.

"If you don't mind I'll turn in now," the latter said. "I'm dead tired and worn out. My nerves are all jumping like red hot wires. Do you think I shall be safe here?"

"Safe as houses!" the skipper said. "And, besides, we shall be dropping down the river in about an hour."

Just as he was, Fenwick rolled into the bunk, and in a moment was fast asleep. When he came to himself again, the vessel was pitching and rolling; he could hear the rattling creak of blocks and rigging; there was a sweeter and fresher atmosphere in the little cabin. A sense of elation possessed the fugitive. It seemed to him that he was absolutely safe at last. The skipper had evidently gone on deck after having finished his breakfast, for the plates lay about the table, and some tepid coffee in a tin had apparently been left for the use of the passenger.

"I don't think much of this," Fenwick muttered. "Still, I daresay I can better it if I pay for it. I'll go on deck presently and see what the black-bearded pirate has to say. At any rate, I am absolutely safe now, and can afford to laugh at the threats of Felix Zary. If that man thinks—"

Fenwick paused, and the knife and fork he was holding over the cold bacon fell from his hands. It was too cruel, the irony of fate was too bitter, for there, just in front of him, propped up by the sugar basin, was a cabinet photograph of the very man who was uppermost in his thoughts. It was Felix Zary to the life; the same calm, philosophic features, the same great round eyes like those of a Persian cat. It all came back to Fenwick now, the whole horror of the situation. His head whirled, and spots seemed to dance before his eyes; a string snapped somewhere in his brain. Zary was behind him, he thought, close behind him like an avenging fury.

With a horrid scream, Fenwick tumbled up the stairs on to the slippery deck. All round him was a wild waste of white waters. The ship heeled over as Fenwick darted to the side.

(To be continued.)

Fond Parent—"What key do you think suits my daughter's voice best?"

Cruel Teacher—"My dear madam, your daughter's voice is so thin, I should suggest a skeleton key."—Baltimore American.

Griggs—"A critic says that if Poe were living today no editor would print his strange, weird stories."

Briggs—"Oh, well, he could make a living designing women's hats."—Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Dart—"My husband is just begging me to take that trip around the world, but I can't."

Mrs. Upfatte—"Why not?"

Mrs. Dart—"I always get dizzy when I travel in a circle."—The Pathfinder.

Bill—"And you say he has found life a struggle?"

Jill—"Oh, my, yes! He's been in four wars, you know! And he's been married three times!"

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### FOOD FOR A GENIUS.

Diet That Enabled Mrs. Siddons to Rise to Lady Macbeth.

It is not altogether easy to imagine a Lady Macbeth eating chops. Yet her greatest impersonator got her inspiration from them, if one may rely on an altogether delightful authority. On a certain occasion, writes E. V. Lucas in his book "The Second Post," the painter Haydon paid his butcher, who reciprocated by expressing great admiration for the artist's painting of "Alexander."

"Quite alive, sir," said the butcher. "I am glad you think so," said the artist.

"Yes, sir; but, as I have often said to my sister, you could not have painted that picture, sir, if you had not eat my meat, sir."

"Very true, Mr. Sowerby."

"Ah, sir, I have a fancy for gen'us, sir."

"Have you, Mr. Sowerby?"

"Yes, sir. Mrs. Siddons, sir, has eat my meat, sir. Never was such a woman for chops, sir! Ah, sir, she was a wonderful creature!"

"She was, Mr. Sowerby."

"Ah, sir, when she used to act that there character—but, Lord, such a head, as I say to my sister—that there woman, sir, that murders a king between 'em."

"Oh, Lady Macbeth."

"Ah, sir, that's it—Lady Macbeth. I used to get up with the butler behind her carriage when she acted, and I used to see her looking quite wild and all the people quite frightened. 'Aha, my lady,' says I, 'if it wasn't for my meat, though, you wouldn't be able to do that!'"

### THE COTTON INDUSTRY.

Alexander Hamilton Foresaw Its Importance in This Country.

There exists in the archives of one of the oldest among the cotton-spinning families in northern New Jersey a long letter from a banker of New York addressed to Alexander Hamilton when he was secretary of the treasury. The banker had heard that Hamilton proposed to build a cotton mill at Paterson, N. J. This project the banker condemned and stated that it was the opinion of all the merchants in New York whom he knew that not in a hundred years would the cotton-milling business in the United States employ 200.

Hamilton went ahead and planned the industrial town he named Paterson and also planned and financed a company for developing a water power and for financing corporations thereat. Hamilton's original company, known as the Society For Useful Manufactures, exists to this day at Paterson.

The agent whom Hamilton sent to England to buy cotton-mill machinery was instructed to have it "knocked down" and placed in small boxes that were to be marked "Bibles For the Moravians of Pennsylvania." It was at that time against the laws of England to ship any kind of industrial machinery out of the kingdom. Hamilton's brother and two of his agents were caught trying to ship the cotton-mill machinery to Paterson, and they were imprisoned for ten months.—Cotton.

"I have just finished writing a modern novel."

"Does the heroine marry the hero?"

"Yes, indeed! A different one in each chapter."—Youngstown Telegram.

"Let me sleep," in pleading terms  
Was couched the minnow's wish.  
"The early birds may have your worms.  
They are not good for fish."  
—Chicago News.

"Ah say, Mik Mandy, am yo' program full?"

"Lordie, no, Mr. Lumley! It takes me an' an' san'wich an' two olives to fill mah program."—Coyote.

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### SMILE WHEN YOU LOSE.

Then Brace Up and Start Right in to Become a Winner.

Be as good a loser as you are a winner—a hard task to set a man, but not an impossible one. Many have met it. Those who have are those who win more than they lose, for nothing inspires success or victory like calmness in defeat or coolness under stress. It is true in business, in politics, in sports, in any sphere of competitive endeavor.

Not only that, but nothing is quite as disconcerting to one's opponent in one of life's contests as the ability to lose with a smile and well directed effort to regain the lost. Any man who has run a foot race or boxed or wrestled or played ball knows that.

But nobody has any time for the man who is forever lamenting his own loss or defeat. The world simply credits him with being what it terms a "grouch," which means a poor loser, and passes him by for a more agreeable man. Any one can be a good winner, but it takes a man to be a good loser.

The philosophy of life itself teaches that in all of its precepts. Some one has to lose. It may as well be you, perhaps, so far as the good of the world goes, as your neighbor. It makes for unselfishness to keep that in mind.—Omaha Bee.

### FREEDOM OF THE CITY.

An Honor Which Had Its Birth in the Middle Ages.

The ceremony of presenting the freedom of the city as an honor arose in the middle ages, when such right was not acquired by mere domicile. No stranger could move into a medieval town and go into business, his own gainful occupation or the civic activities. First he must become enrolled in the guild of his trade, then he had to undergo an apprenticeship of full seven years before he could be admitted to its livery. Then only and this only could he arrive at the freedom of his city.

As a reward for high deeds these medieval city republics sometimes conferred on such strangers as had served them well the freedom of the city by solemn act of the burgesses and liverymen without the apprenticeship of servitude. Every such recipient of a city's freedom became at once a burgess, free to dwell, free to engage in trade, free to vote for the civic rulers and to aspire to the civic chair. The key was the visible sign of this freedom—the city gates, closed at sunset against the stranger and the foe, opened to the burgess' key at all hours, as the door of his own home.—Argonaut.

Wit "In Extranis."

Of the men of letters who lost their lives on the scaffold two at least died debonairly.

There was Montrose, poet and king's man in Scotland's king versus kirk business. On the morning of his execution Warristown, the covenanters, went to his cell, doubtless to make himself unpleasant. Montrose was coming out of his curia.

"Why is James Graham so careful of his locks?"

Montrose smiled and made answer: "So long as my head is my own I mean to see to it. When Warristown gets it he may deal with it as he likes."

At the scaffold Sir Thomas More asked the lieutenant of the tower to see him safe up the steps.

"I'll shift for myself coming down," the poet promised.—Youth's Companion.

Wise Man.

"Decided where you'll spend this summer?"

"No. I'm going to let my wife decide this year. She used to wake me up in the middle of the night last summer to remind me that I picked the place out."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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### INSULTING ROYALTY.

Torture and Death Used to Be the Price For This Pastime.

People who went out of their way to libel their sovereign in days gone by did not usually get off so lightly as did the defendant in a recent notorious case.

For instance, Leigh Hunt, the famous essayist and poet, was sent to prison for two years—exactly twice the length of Mylius' term—for calling George IV. "a fat Adonis of fifty." And George was not even king at the time, only regent.

Going back further still, we find John Stubbs, a student of Lincoln's Inn, arrested for libelling Queen Elizabeth. He was sentenced to have his right hand cut off, and the barbarous punishment was inflicted in public in the market place at Westminster by driving a cleaver through the wrist with a mallet.

Then there was that unhappy Walter Walker, grocer, at the Sign of the Crown, who said he would make his son heir to the crown. When Edward IV. was told of this merry jest he ordered Walker to be arrested and put to death for treason.

Almost as hard was the fate of the Buckinghamshire churl, who, drinking one day in a village ale house, spoke disrespectfully of Henry VIII. "King Hal," he hiccupped, "is no true king. Would I had his crown here that I might play football with it." The libeler was hanged, drawn and quartered, and pieces of his body were distributed as a warning among the market towns of the county.

In the reign of Charles I. an individual published a seditious libel concerning his majesty. The book containing the libel was burned before his face by the common hangman, while its author stood in the pillory in two places, having an ear cut off at each. He wrote a paper on this head describing the offense, was ordered to pay a fine of £5,000 and suffer perpetual imprisonment.

A libeler of King Alfred suffered the loss of his tongue.—Pearson's.

### DIDN'T KNOW BEETHOVEN.

The Ignorance That Exists in Russian Official Circles.

The following amazing story illustrates how deep is the ignorance of Russian officials on some matters and how bitter is their hatred of even the mere mention of the name of the late Count Tolstoy.

It is required by the Russian law that whenever a concert is to be held the police shall be notified of the fact. Recently a club complying with this injunction also forwarded a copy of the program, wherein appeared the item "Kreutzer Sonata." Across this the chief of police wrote, "Tolstoy prohibited." However, the program was proceeded with unaltered, and, hearing this, an infuriated chief of police summoned the directors of the club before the governor. "How dare you disobey orders!" they were asked. "You were told that Tolstoy was prohibited." Light dawned on the concert promoters, and they quickly explained that the "Kreutzer Sonata" which appeared in their program had no reference to Tolstoy's book of that title, but to a musical work composed by Beethoven. "Everybody knows Tolstoy," snapped the governor, "but who knows your Beethoven?" It was only by a telegraphic appeal to M. Stolypin, who assured the governor that there was such a person as Beethoven and that he had written a "Kreutzer Sonata," that the club officials were able to convince the governor that he had jumped to a hasty and wrong conclusion.



## REBELLION IN CHINESE EMPIRE

TRouble REPORTED TO BE ASSUMING GREAT PROPORTIONS

Hundreds of Foreigners Are Besieged in Cheng Tu, and Probably Already on Short Rations—Flood and Famine and Agitation, Stirred Up By Opponents to Railway Schemes, the Cause.

Pekin.—The rebellion in China, caused by the flood and famine, and also the agitation stirred up by the opponents to railway schemes throughout the Celestial empire, is assuming greater proportions, and Cheng Tu, with several hundred foreigners, is now at the mercy of the revolutionists. No food has entered Cheng Tu for many days, and probably already the besieged are on short rations.

Among the missionaries who have arrived safely at Chun King are the Canadians stationed at Lu Chow, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Jolliffe, Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Ferguson and B. Breckman. Lu Chow is about 150 miles southeast of Cheng Tu. The relief force from We Cheng will take four weeks at least to reach Cheng Tu, and the full gravity of the situation in the capital of Sze Chuan is now realized.

Boston.—A delayed cablegram received by the Baptist Foreign society, said: "Cablegram received today, signed your mission, states: 'Sifu mission arrived safely, and well at Chung King. Kiating missionaries en route. No telegraphic communications with Ming Yuan, Yachow or Cheng Tu, but believed to be safe.'"

Toronto.—The cablegram which Rev. T. E. Shore received recently from the American Baptist Missionary Society at Chung King stating that all American Baptist missionaries had reached there, also stating that the Kiating missionaries were en route and that telegraphic communication with Yachow and Ningyuan was cut off. These places are in the American Baptist territory, but not in that of the Canadian Methodist mission. The Kiating party of missionaries would include the Canadian Methodists, so Mr. Shore conjectures that if the Kiating people had left, and if there was definite information that the Cheng Tu people had left, the Kiating party would not leave before the Cheng Tu missionaries joined them, if they thought they were coming. It, therefore, looks like a confirmation of the despatches published recently that the Cheng Tu missionaries were still in that city.

The walls of the Chinese cities, for the most part are high and strong, Mr. Shore says. That of Cheng Tu, which is the most strongly fortified, is fifty feet high, and about as broad. The Canadian Methodist compound is one of the best and most easily defended in the city, its walls being eight or ten feet high and unscalable except by ladders.

London.—A message received at headquarters of the China Island Mission here recently states that all missionaries of that body, and its buildings in the province of Sze Chuan, China, are safe.

**General Otter Has Earned Pension**  
Ottawa.—It is understood that General Otter, inspector-general of Canadian militia, who has completed the term of service to enable him to retire on full pension, will shortly vacate the position, and that he will be succeeded by General Cotton, commanding Western Ontario division, with headquarters in Toronto. He will likely be replaced by Brig-General Lessard, now adjutant-general, while the latter will be succeeded by one of the senior officers of the permanent force. Col. Septimus Denison and Col. Henry Panet are spoken of.

**Imperial Mission Starts Campaign**  
London.—The future operations of the Imperial mission which is represented in Canada by Messrs Tupper, Aitkin, Tate and Blackstock, include a great campaign to be launched here on October 31 for the purpose of emphasizing the need of a closer Imperial unity and Imperial solidarity of commerce and defence.

It is proposed to arrange an interchange of speakers so that the needs and aspirations of various units may be better appreciated. The latest adherent of the mission, Joe Chamberlain, is now vice-president, and the Duke of Argyll is honorary president.

**To Ship Frozen Meat to Canada**  
Melbourne.—Arrangements have been made at Taranki in New Zealand to send trial shipments of frozen meats to the prairies and to British Columbia. It is hoped in New Zealand that a profitable market will be developed.

Dr. Mawson, the Antarctic scientist, has been granted £20,000 by the government of New South Wales towards the expenses of the proposed expedition to the South Polar regions. Several wealthy citizens have added £4,000, and the federal government will contribute an additional £5,000.

**Consul Issues Ultimatum**  
Chung King, China.—The British consul, who is temporarily in charge of American interests in this district, has issued an order that all American and British citizens in the upper division of the province of Sze Chuan, in which a rebellion is in progress, must leave immediately for the nearest place of safety before the situation becomes more grave.

## ORDER DESTRUCTION OF REBELS

Viceroy of Sze Chuan, China, Receives Instructions Not to Spare One.

Pekin.—According to an imperial edict issued recently the ringleaders in the disorders in Sze Chuan province intend to proclaim independence. As a consequence the Chinese government has ordered the viceroy to destroy the rebels to the last man. The government, however, has instructed the viceroy to distinguish between the misguided and the actual rebels in imposing punishment.

The possibility of serious results in Sze Chuan is considered grave. If the rebellion is not promptly suppressed it is likely to spread to other provinces where there has been much discontent of late. Some of the newspapers are urging the people to join in the rising but the merchants everywhere are fearful that if the rebels are successful it might be the beginning of a general warfare.

The Japanese legation has received a dispatch indicating that Chinese troops are among the rebels who are besieging Cheng Tu. It is not known whether the American and Canadian missionaries have left Cheng Tu or are besieged there. Their last telegram declared their intention of sending the women and children forward. If they left the city and made the journey in safety by the river they should reach the Yang Tse Kiang in a few days.

## PLAGUE IN OTTOMAN EMPIRE

Scores of Thousands Are Being Wiped Out by the Cholera

Constantinople.—The whole Ottoman empire is in the grip of the cholera and deaths will be numbered in the thousands, though the failure of any attempt to keep official records makes even an approach to an estimate impossible.

In Northern Asia Minor, where the scourge first appeared, whole villages have been wiped out. In some districts the tax gatherer in making his rounds has not found a living person, such of the inhabitants as have survived the epidemic having fled to other parts. The troops returning to the camps near here from Albania have been a prolific source of infection. In most cases the sanitary measures taken are hopelessly inadequate and the disease is simply running its course.

## GENERAL CENSURE OF CREW

Investigation Into Cause of Wreck of Steamer Iroquois Results in Lost Reputations

Victoria.—The certificate of Albert A. Sears, master and part owner of the wrecked steamer Iroquois, is cancelled; certificate of Mate John Isbister is suspended for nine months; and certificate of Engineer William Thomson is suspended for nine months, according to the finding of the court of marine enquiry, handed down in admiralty court recently. The steamer was wrecked in April with a loss of twenty lives.

With respect to the captain, the finding says that harsh comments on his conduct after reaching shore were not justified by the evidence. Yet he failed to perform his duty in regard to rescue work and in regard to stowage of the cargo, and also failed in his ability as a seaman and master. The chief engineer is blamed for not having stayed longer with the engines. Inspector of hulls at Kinghorn, blamed for not insisting on suitable alterations to the boat.

## Socialists Won't Support a Strike

Jena, Germany.—Discussing the Moroccan situation in the Social Democrat congress recently, Herr Bebel, leader of the Socialists in the Reichstag denounced the reports that Socialists would proclaim a general political strike in case of war. The opposition of German Socialists to such methods are well known, he said. Herr Bebel added that Socialists would support a judicial colonial policy and demand for Germany full equality in commerce and industrial development in Morocco, but they believe that it is criminal and frivolous to engage in war on account of Morocco.

## Honor Aged Salvation Army Leader

London.—"General" William Booth was the central figure at a great public reception given in London recently to mark the termination of his evangelistic tour of the United Kingdom. The tour was made in a motor car, and occupied twenty-six days. Notwithstanding his eighty-two years, the venerable founder and head of the Salvation Army is looking forward with eager interest to his coming visit to America.

## Bloody Fight at Badajoz, Spain

Badajoz.—Many persons were killed or wounded in a battle here between the troops quartered in this section and a mob. A large force of troops is quartered here on the Portuguese border to prevent the Royalists from entering that country. The mob made an attack on the troops and the soldiers fired, heavy fighting following. The outbreak is attributed to the prevailing political unrest in the district.

## Hamar Greenwood Transferred

London.—Hamar Greenwood has been transferred from the Kings Overseas regiment to the Yeomanry of the Territorial force.

## ROAD THROUGH THE FAR NORTH

TO TAP THE PEACE RIVER AND H. B. DISTRICT

The Pacific Trans-Canada and Hudson's Bay Railway Co. Are Applying for a Charter—Would Open up Canada's Great Hinterland, Covering an Immense Territory.

Ottawa.—Notice is given that application will be made to parliament at next session for an act incorporating a railway company under the name of "Pacific Trans-Canada and Hudson's Bay Railway Company," with power to construct and operate a line of railway from Edmonton, thence northerly by the most feasible route to Athabasca Landing, thence northwesterly, northeast of Lesser Slave Lake to Wabasca or Loon River; thence northerly to a point at or near junction of Loon river with Peace river, or at a point near junction of Red river with Peace River, below the Vermilion on Peace river; the most northerly route to Fort Smith on Slave river; from a point on said railroad near its crossing of Wabasca river or Loon river easterly to Fort Murray on Athabasca river; thence easterly along Clearwater river and Churchill river through the province of Saskatchewan to Fort Churchill or Fort Nelson on the Hudson's Bay; from a point on said railroad near its crossing to Wabasca or Loon river westerly to Peace River crossing on Peace river; thence westerly on north side of river through Laurier Pass to Prince Rupert or Portland Canal on the Pacific Coast in British Columbia.

## WAR OFFICE SUSPENDS LEAVE

The War Scare Germ Seems to be Busy in Britain—Nervousness Prevails

London.—It is reported at Plymouth and other military centres that the war office has suspended all leave in the army, or is limiting it to three days. One statement says this applies only to the southern district. It is assumed that these measures are precautionary in view of the international outlook.

Enquiry at the war office elicited the curt reply that there has been no general order issued. This obviously does not deny the orders issued in the south.

Pessimistic nervousness in respect to Morocco prevailed in every department. It was accentuated by more liquidation on the Berlin and Brussels bourses.

## Bandits Are Again Active in Spain

Madrid.—A Cordoba telegram states that, after months of quiet, bandits have again made their appearance in that district. Two bandits, mounted on good horses and armed with carbines, called at a farmhouse, belonging to Don Jose Chacon, situated on the mountains near Puente Genil. They threatened to kill the occupants, and despatched the overseer to Don Jose Chacon, demanding 1,000 pesetas, threatening him with death in case of refusal.

These same bandits recently stole \$10,000 from Don Antonio Montenegro, at Fuente Ovejuna. A section of the civil guard has gone in pursuit of them, but it is thought that it will be difficult to capture them at the present moment, because the inhabitants of the small villages protect them through fear of reprisals.

## May Control Red Cable

London.—If Vice-President Clarke, of the Western Union cables and telegraphs, agrees that any advantages either in service or rates that may be devised for British-United States traffic will be extended to Canadian and colonial traffic, via Canada, the Western Union may be given control of the all-British cable. The Western Union has agreed with the postmaster-general that all cables at British points shall be operated by British subjects. If the cables go under the direction of the Western Union, rates must be made satisfactory to the postmaster.

## Riot Situation Serious

Madrid.—The strike riot situation in Bilbao and throughout the province of Biscay grows more alarming with each day's development, despite vigorous measures resorted to by the government. Matters have now been aggravated by the depletion of the food supply, and the tieup of transportation system movement, it is asserted in Bilbao, is also spreading to other centres.

## Britain Strengthens Jamaica Garrisons

Kingston, Jamaica.—It is reported here that the British war office is arranging to send 1,000 artillery and infantry to strengthen the local garrison, with a view to the increased importance the station will assume with an opening of the Panama canal. It is expected that the naval yard at Port Royal, which was burned last spring, will be reopened.

## \$50,000,000 Lumber Merger on Coast

Portland, Ore.—A merger of tide-water sawmills, representing 65 per cent. of the output of the western Washington and western Oregon, promoted by Henry J. Pearce, Spokane, for eastern capitalists is virtually assured. It was learned that mill owners, representing more than 50 per cent. of the Columbia River cut, have signed a consolidation agreement. The capital is \$50,000,000.

## RIVER OF LAVA STILL FLOWING

Etna Is Vomiting Death and Destruction, and Disturbance Is Increasing

Catania.—The river of lava from Mount Etna is still sweeping all before it. Thousands of people have been driven from their homes. Hoping to arrest the advance, the peasants erected before their vineyards and humble homes a cross of sticks and placed on top pictures of the Madonna and the saints, but these barriers of faith have not checked the flow.

Crowds of peasants gathered to kneel and beat their breasts calling for mercy and declaring that this must be a punishment for their sins. Monsignor Arista, bishop of Acireale, has gone to the front to encourage the faithful to conduct services, lead the procession and impart a benediction to the people.

The house of Giuseppe Rampolla, a relative of Cardinal Rampolla has been overwhelmed by the lava which is expected soon to enter the Alcantara river. Three thousand years ago the lava from Mount Etna swept into the same river, the bed of which is now sixty feet deep. The entire crest of Etna has been changed by the present disturbances, ragged elevations having appeared.

## \$100,000 FOR MONTREAL POOR

Mayor Guerin Investigates Bequest to City Under Mourning Will

Montreal.—Mayor Guerin sent a report recently to the board of control in regard to his investigation, while in London and Paris, as to the famous Mourning will, whereby over \$100,000 was left to the poor of Montreal.

The mayor states in the communication that, so far as London is concerned, there is no doubt but that an estate and money valued at \$100,000 is left to the city of Montreal to be disposed of in the interests of the poor. In Paris, the mayor says that a house valued at \$10,000, has also become the property of the city of Montreal. The mayor informs the controllers that he had the British consul in Paris take steps that the Paris property will be handed over to the city of Montreal.

## ANOTHER ARREST MADE

Former Secretary of Farmers' Bank Has Been Arrested at the Coast

Toronto.—Claude H. Smith, former secretary-treasurer of the provisional directors of the Farmers' Bank, who was arrested recently in Vancouver, B. C., upon instructions from Toronto to the Vancouver police, is charged, along with Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, W. J. Lindsay and the provisional directors, with conspiracy to obtain by false pretences the charter for the Farmers' Bank in 1905.

Detective Guthrie has left for Vancouver to bring Smith back. The arrest of Smith leaves only two of those connected with the bank to be caught.—Dr. Beattie Nesbitt and Dr. Wishart. Inspector Duncan says that he is in communication with Wishart, who wants to come and face trial, but he names certain conditions upon which he will come.

Nothing is known of the whereabouts of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt.

## Bulletin on the Field Crops

Ottawa.—A bulletin on the field crops of Canada issued recently, gives their average condition by provinces at the end of August together with estimates of production of spring wheat, oats and barley at that time. Per cent. condition of wheat is given at 86.80; of oats 84.44; and of barley 84.73, which is about five to seven per cent. higher than last year and nearly the same as two years ago. Other crops range in condition from 80 to 86 per cent. and are generally somewhat lower than in 1909 and 1910. Rains of August hindered the ripening of the grain and some injury was caused by hail storms, low temperature and rust. Towards the end of the month frosts prevailed in many sections of North-west provinces, the full extent of which could not be determined.

## Prince Arthur of Connaught Engaged

London.—An interesting report current is that Prince Arthur of Connaught, son of the Duke of Connaught, the newly commissioned governor-general of Canada, is engaged to marry Princess Irene, daughter of the Grand Duchess Xenia-Alexandrovna, who is a sister of Emperor Nicholas of Russia. It is stated that the formal announcement of the betrothal will be made before the Connaughts sail for Canada.

## An Attempted Assassination

Kiev, Russia.—The Russian Premier, P. A. Stolypin, was attacked while attending a gala performance at the opera. He was wounded twice by his assailant one bullet entered his hand, while the other penetrated the body, grazing the liver and locating in the spine. It is reported that the premier's wounds are mortal. Emperor Nicholas was present in the theatre at the time. The premier's assailant was arrested.

## British Columbia Will Help

Lethbridge.—Premier McBride gave J. W. McNichol of the Lethbridge board of trade a promise that his government would give its moral and financial support to Lethbridge if it secured the International Dry Farming congress. The amount of the grant will be determined when McBride consults his colleagues.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON XIII.—THIRD QUARTER, SEPT. 24, 1911.

Text of the Lesson, Dan. vi, 10-23. Memory Verses, 21-23—Golden Text, Ps. xxxiv, 7—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

These historical lessons from the book of Daniel are most fascinating and most practically helpful, inasmuch as the God of Daniel and his friends is none other than our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the same yesterday, today and forever and always ready to hold strongly with all whose hearts are wholly for Him, not keeping us from trials, but manifesting His presence with us in the trial and bringing us through to His glory. Men and women who believe God were never more needed than now.

Oh, for a testimony such as was given concerning Daniel, even by his enemies! We shall not find any occasion against him, except we find it concerning the law of his God (verses 4, 5). Knowing something of his habit of prayer, they asked the king to sign a decree that no one should ask a petition of any god or man save Darius for thirty days under penalty of being cast to the lions.

Although Daniel knew the decree had been signed, he kept on as aforetime, kneeling upon his knees in prayer three times a day, with his windows open toward Jerusalem, remembering I Kings viii, 47-49. His enemies did not need to watch long in order to catch him in their net, and the king was promptly informed that "that Daniel of the captivity of Judah regardeth not thee, O king, nor the decree that thou hast signed" (verse 13). If the king had not before seen the design of his presidents and princes against Daniel he saw it now and was sore displeased, not with Daniel, but with himself that he had not seen through this plot before signing the decree.

He labored in vain to deliver his prime minister, whom he evidently esteemed and loved, but even the law of God, which is holy and just and good, cannot save any one, much less this law of the Medes and Persians, which was only a great iniquity. Our deliverance from the condemnation of the holy law of God is accomplished only by a sinless person taking the place of the guilty and suffering in our stead (I Cor. v, 21; Rom. iii, 19-24; x, 4).

We do not read that Darius so loved Daniel that he gave himself for him and went to the den of lions in his stead, but we do read just that virtually of Jesus Christ (I Pet. ii, 24; Gal. ii, 20, 1. c.). Daniel was cast to the lions (probably not very gently), a stone laid upon the mouth of the den and sealed with the "signet" of the king and his lords. Imagine the rejoicing on the part of his enemies because they were now rid of him, and no doubt they ridiculed the God of Daniel who could not deliver him from the lions nor from their power.

After a night of sleeplessness and fasting very early in the morning the king is found at the den of lions calling aloud to Daniel if perchance he may still be alive. Surely Darius must have learned something of the power of Daniel's God to be able to imagine such a thing possible and to encourage him as he did on his way to the den. With what joy and gratitude the king must have heard the voice of Daniel and the words, "My God hath sent His angel and hath shut the lions' mouths that they have not hurt me" (22).

So Daniel was taken up out of the den, and no manner of hurt was found upon him because he believed in his God (23).

Thus shall it be in the morning of the first resurrection. No matter what the saints have suffered here in their mortal bodies, the resurrection body will be perfect, for we shall be like Him (I John iii, 2). The accusers of Daniel were then cast into the den of lions, with their wives and children, and there was no deliverance for them.

As to the righteous and the wicked, we read in Ps. xlix, 14, that the upright shall have dominion over them in the morning. Study the morning deliverances of Scripture, but note that there will be no morning for the enemies of God (Isa. viii, 20, R. V.). In verses 25 to 27 see how by a worldwide decree the living God, the God of Daniel, was magnified. How telling are the words in verse 28, "So this Daniel prospered," and according to the last sentence in his book we shall find him in his appointed place in the kingdom—that kingdom under the whole heaven which is to be given to the people of the saints of the Most High, when all dominions shall serve and obey Him (Dan. vii, 27). That will be after or in connection with the overthrow of all the kingdoms of this world, as set forth in Dan. ii and vii. The great, self-exalting, God-defying antichrist shall come to his end, and none shall help him (Dan. xi, 36-38, 45).

Then shall "the stone" without human aid break in pieces the world powers and fill the earth with a kingdom of peace and righteousness, and the enemies of the Lord shall perish as truly as did Daniel's enemies (Dan. ii, 34, 35-44; vii, 9-14; II Thes. i, 7-10). The Messiah has been cut off without receiving His kingdom, but at the end of the seventieth week everlasting righteousness shall be the portion of Daniel's people (Dan. ix, 24-27; Isa. ix, 21; xxxii, 1-17; Jer. xxiii, 5, 6).





S. PERRIN, Agent Bowden

## POULTRY WANTED

Beginning next Friday the White Swan Creamery will buy all kinds of Live Poultry at the highest market prices which may be obtained on application at the Creamery. All poultry will be classed in one of three grades which will be determined in the following condition:

Important: Starve all poultry at least 24 hours before bringing in alive. A reduction in price from 1c to 2c per pound will positively be made on all poultry having food in their crops. CHICKENS are pullets under seven months old and cockerels that have not developed a hard spur firmly attached to the leg. FOWLS are hens that have laid or are over seven months old. COCK FIRDS are mature male birds any age having a hard spur firmly attached to the leg.

### The Grades

- No 1 Poultry consists of plump well fleshed birds any size
- No 2 Poultry consists of fairly fleshed birds any size
- No 3 Poultry consists of thin birds any size

**White Swan Creamery**  
F. H. HUNTER Mgr. BOWDEN

## Summit Siftings

Mr Beggs, late of Vancouver, who is here in the interests of the cattle trade, was a visitor in Summit last Sunday.

People are saying "These heavy frosts will clear up the weather! We are of the opinion there is nothing else left for it to do, since it cleared up everything else in sight last week."

There was a misprint in the Summit items last week. Instead of "Call of the wilds" it should have read "The call of the wilds".

As to those men who remained at home on election day—well—let us take as charitable a view of their actions—or inaction—as we possibly can. But there are men—real men—right here in Summit who would take great satisfaction in telling them—in strict confidence of course—just what we all think of them. But perhaps we ought to feel sorry for the delinquents, they may have been suffering from some slight indisposition. Let us hope they will recover before the next provincial election.

If it is true that "Character is made in conflict" the farmers of this district ought to come out with most splendid characters at the end of this season. It will be no easy matter to bind the grain now. Some fields which have not been flattened to the earth are twisted and twirled into weird, fantastic shapes, but all grain which had not ripened before the snow and frost came, will now be used for green feed. So, although the elevators may suffer in consequence, this will boom the dairy business.

It ought to have been a moral lesson to those who had not the stamina to stand to their colors on election day to see the manner in which many of the old men marched proudly to the pole. The weather was the reverse of good, and many of these men were well over seventy years of age, but nothing daunted, they turned out. One, Mr J Wilkinson of Bowden, who lives just at the back of the Anglican Church, is now in his ninety-ninth year. He was ninety-eight last winter, but that did not prevent him from walking briskly forward and polling his vote. No matter whether a man is Conservative or Liberal we all admire the one who possesses enough backbone to stick to his guns.

## OLD S.

Too late for last week.

Alfey Hayes had a nasty smash-up Sunday evening but fortunately was not hurt, although his buggy was badly smashed. Some one took his fur lap-robe, buggy cushion and whip.

Mr Armstrong and Mr Cass of Chesley, Ontario, are looking over the country. They are well pleased and will likely buy before going home.

Frank Bates is up from Saskatchewan on business.

Olds is making big preparations for their fall fair which was postponed until the 10th and 11 Oct. Entries are coming in from all points. There will be poultry from Edmonton.

## The Markets

### WINTER WHEAT

1 Red	76
2	74
3	69
4	64
5	57
6	52

### SPRING WHEAT

1 Northern	81
2	78
3	73
4	68
5	61
6	54
1 Rej Northern	68
2	65
3	61
Feed	5
Oats 38 and over	30
Oats under 38	27
3 Barley	51
4 Barley	41
Feed	30
Flax	1.75
Rej	1.50
Rye	45

## Synopsis of Canadian North West Land Regulations

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price 3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price 8.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

W. W. CORY  
Deputy Minister of the Interior  
N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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Capital, Res and Undivided Profits \$6,600,000  
Total Assets (over) \$50,000,000  
May 31st 1911.

### Spend the Balance

Don't spend all you like and save the balance—if there is any.

Save what you know you should—then spend the rest.

The difference, in a few years, will be the difference between poverty and independence.

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A New or Kendall's  
Horse Spavin  
Cure?



Save the difference  
between the  
cost of a good  
horse and \$1.00—the  
cost of a bottle of  
Kendall's Spavin Cure.

You can cure a Spavin, Splint,  
Ringbone, Bony Growth or Lameness,  
with it, like thousands have done. Read  
these letters—they will prove that  
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**The One Safe, Reliable Cure.**

Canal, Ont., Dec. 14th, 1910.  
I have been using your Spavin Cure for a number  
of years with good success, having during that  
time cured a spavin on a valuable horse and  
also treated bruises, swellings, etc.  
effectively.  
Christian Bender

W. W. Brewer, Content, Alta., writes: July 18th, 1910  
"I have used your Spavin Cure for years and  
have completely cured Foot Rot in my herd of  
cattle, and Splints and Spavins on horses. I find  
that it is the most reliable and safe remedy for all  
these troubles."

No need to worry about your horse if  
you have a bottle of Kendall's Spavin  
Cure on hand for emergency. Get a  
bottle from your druggist at once. Don't  
take a substitute. The great book,  
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gists, or write to

Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., Eanesbury Falls, Vt.

## Silver Pine Healing Oil Healed a Barb-Wire Cut without leaving a scratch

Mrs. KATE McCREAVE, of Mow-  
bray, Man., writes:

"Please send me a bottle of  
your Silver Pine Healing Oil. I  
had a cut last winter with  
barb wire—I used half a bottle and  
it healed up and didn't leave a  
scratch. Now I have another cut  
that has got cut in I calculate  
to heal with what is left, but I  
would like to have you send me  
another bottle if I should happen  
to need it, for I think I could not  
get on without it."

For all kinds of wounds,  
bruises, burns and sores  
on animals or human  
beings, Silver Pine Heal-  
ing Oil is a quick, safe and  
wonderful healer. Keep a  
bottle on hand for times of  
need. In 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 bottles, at  
your dealer's or from the  
International Stock Food Co., Limited, Toronto, Can.

Gentlemen (savagely to hairdresser)  
—"You villain! That stuff you war-  
ranted to do away with the bald  
patches I had has taken every hair  
off my head!"

Hairdresser—"Well, it has done  
away with the bald patches; your  
head's bald all over now!"

It is in Demand.—So great is the de-  
mand for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil that  
a large factory is kept continually busy  
making and bottling it. To be in de-  
mand shows popular appreciation of this  
preparation, which stands at the head of  
proprietary compounds as the leading  
Oil in the market, and it is generally  
admitted that it is deserving of the lead.

Ever notice how oily and velvety a  
gruff man's voice is when he has oc-  
casion to speak to a pretty girl?

Minard's Liniment relieves neuralgia

He—"Did you ever try the absent  
treatment, Miss Gussie?"

She (brightening)—"No, but I  
should love to. Can't you give me a  
trial of it now?"—Baltimore American.

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## NA-DRU-CO HEADACHE WAFERS

25c. a Box at your druggist's.

will make life comfortable for you again.  
They relieve the worst headache in 30 minutes or less.

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## ELEPHANTS AS NURSES.

Children in India Often Cared For by  
the Big Brutes.

It is by no means uncommon in In-  
dia for the children of a mahout to be  
cared for by the mahout's elephant.  
The whole family of the mahout be-  
come, as it were, parasites to the ele-  
phant by which they earn their living.  
Instances are not wanting of a moth-  
er's systematic placing of her baby in  
an elephant's care and within reach of  
its trunk while the mother goes to  
fetch water or to get wood or materi-  
als to cook the family meal.

No jackal or wolf would be likely to  
pick up and carry off a baby who was  
thus confided to the care of an ele-  
phant, but most people who have lived  
in the jungles know how very possible  
it is for a jackal or a wolf to carry off  
a baby when it is lying in a hut or  
when the mother is unprovided with  
means to fight off the marauder.

Children thus brought up in the com-  
panionship of an elephant become  
ridiculously familiar with the big  
pachyderm and take all kind of lib-  
erties with him—liberties which the ele-  
phant seems to endure on the principle  
that it does not hurt him, while it  
amuses the child. One may see a lit-  
tle native child, quite naked, about  
two feet high, standing on an ele-  
phant's bare back and taking it down  
to the water to bathe, vociferating all  
the time in most unbecoming terms of  
native abusive language. On arriving  
at the water the elephant, ostensibly  
in obedience to the child's command,  
lies down and enjoys himself, leaving  
just a portion of his body, like a small  
island, above the water. Upon this  
part of the elephant the child will  
stand and shout, shouting all the more  
if he has several companions of his  
own age also in charge of elephants,  
all wallowing in the water around  
him. If the child should slip off his  
island the elephant's trunk promptly  
replaces him in safety. These urchins  
as they grow up become first mates to  
mahouts and eventually arrive at the  
dignity of being mahouts.—New York  
Press.

## FUN WITH ROYAL INITIALS.

A Pun That Pleased Victoria and One  
That Hit Albert Edward.

Caroline Fox in her memorials un-  
der date of May 24, 1837, Queen Vic-  
toria's birthday, jots down an egré-  
gious pun reported by her famous  
kinsman, Charles James Fox. "Uncle  
Charles dined with us today. He was  
delighted and dazzled by the display  
on the queen's day and mentioned a  
right merry quibble perpetrated by my  
Lord Albemarle, who on her majesty's  
saying, 'I wonder if my good people  
of London are as glad to see me as I  
am to see them?' pointed out as their  
immediate cockney answer to the  
query 'V. R.'"

Jokes run in cycles. Sixty-five years  
later Edward VII. was on the English  
throne. Sir Walter Parratt, professor  
of music at the University of Oxford,  
was practicing with part of his band  
in the music room at Windsor palace,  
where all the furniture was covered  
with sheets bearing the royal cipher.  
Suddenly he turned to the musicians  
and said, "We all know that the king  
is king, but why is he?" The men  
looked astonished, but said nothing.  
"Because E. R., of course," chuckled  
Sir Walter as he pointed to the ini-  
tials around him.

A more humorous jest of this sort is  
found in the "Life of Richard B. Bar-  
ham," author of the "Ingoldsby Leg-  
ends." On the night of Jan. 25, 1842,  
the late king of England was christen-  
ed Albert Edward. Barham, going  
out to see the illumination and observ-  
ing in almost every window the ini-  
tials A. R., heard some one say (most  
likely it was himself, "Ah, he'll make  
acquaintance with the other three  
vowels before he comes of age!"—New  
York Tribune.

### Fully Informed.

"Is this Mr. Walsingham's office?"  
asked the gentlemanly solicitor as he  
paused before the dignified old man  
who sat at the only desk in the room.

"Yes, sir."

"Are you Mr. Walsingham?"

"No. I'm just an inquisitive young  
scamp who has come in to paw over  
his papers, read his private correspond-  
ence and smoke a cigar that I have  
taken out of his vest pocket."—Chicago  
Record-Herald.

### Misguided Energy

"I am bound to make a noise in the  
world," said the determined youth.  
"But be careful how you go about  
it," replied Mr. Osage Spouter. "An  
amateur with a bass drum can spoil  
the finest symphony ever written."—  
Washington Star.

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ing Power of

## DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

To people who have used internal  
treatment in an effort to cure eczema  
it is almost beyond belief what bene-  
fit can be obtained by a few applica-  
tions of this soothing, healing oint-  
ment.

It is seldom that the cause of ec-  
zema can be determined, but one  
thing is certain, the itching must be  
stopped and the sores healed up.

These results are secured by the use  
of Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. The  
itching is relieved almost instantly,  
and you will be surprised at the heal-  
ing which will take place overnight.

A little patience and persistent  
treatment with Dr. Chase's Ointment  
will give you more practical and defi-  
nite results than a whole lot of dosing  
with internal medicines. You can see  
how the Ointment heals. The other is  
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Mr. Geo. Peterson, South Bay, Ont.,  
writes: "I wish to communicate to  
you the great benefit I received from  
using Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. For  
years I suffered with a great skin  
disease on my head, a sort of eczema.  
I tried four doctors, giving each a fair  
trial, but got no better. In fact, the  
disease spread to my left arm.

"I saw Dr. Chase's Ointment adver-  
tised and began using it. Persistent  
use of this treatment has entirely cured  
me, and I give you a statement of  
my case with pleasure, as I hope  
thereby to induce some other sufferer  
to try the same Dr. Chase's Oint-  
ment."

Because this ointment has made  
its world-wide reputation by curing  
the most severe and long-standing  
cases of eczema and piles is no reason  
why you should overlook its scores of  
uses in the relief of itching and ir-  
ritation of the skin.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment, 60  
cents a box, at all dealers; or Edman-  
son, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

"Which would you rather achieve,  
wealth or fame?" "I don't know,"  
replied the matter-of-fact person. "It  
depends on whether you prefer being  
asked to write in a cheque book or an  
autograph album."—Washington Ev-  
ening Star.

Revive the Jaded Condition. — When  
energy flags and the cares of business  
become irksome; when the whole system  
is out of sorts and there is general de-  
pression, try Parmelee's Vegetable Pills.  
They will regulate the action of a de-  
ranged stomach and a disordered liver,  
and make you feel like a new man. No  
one need suffer a day from debilitated  
digestion when so simple and effective a  
pill can be got at any drug store.

"Trying to learn to fly often proves  
fatal, doesn't it?" "Yep, our cat  
caught a young sparrow this morn-  
ing."—Houston Daily Post.

Minard's Liniment cures burns, etc.

Maud—"Did Alice say anything  
about me during her call yesterday?"  
Ethel—"Oh, no; she's a nice girl, if  
she can't speak well of any one she  
says nothing at all."—Boston Trans-  
cript.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward  
for any case of Catarrh that cannot be  
cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,  
acting directly upon the blood and mucous  
surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent  
free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by  
all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"I suppose the young man was  
whispering soft nothings on the pier  
last night." "No, auntie, he isn't  
that kind of a young man. He was  
telling me all about the filled cheese  
business."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Only the uninformed endure the agony  
of corns. The knowing ones apply Hol-  
loway's Corn Cure and get relief.

A native of the Emerald Isle, who  
was ganger over a number of laborers,  
noticed one day while going his  
rounds some men working upon a  
scaffold. Thinking there were too  
many of them at the job, and at the  
same time wishing to show his au-  
thority, he cried out:

"How many of yez are up there?"

"Three," answered one of the  
navvies.

"Thin, begorra, the half of yez come  
down at once!"

### C. P. R. Report

A glance at the report of the Cana-  
dian Pacific Railway for the year end-  
ing June 30th, 1911, shows how rapidly  
this railway is covering Canada with  
its network of steel rails. The report  
of the road for the year 1910 puts the  
actual C. P. R. mileage at 10,270.6,  
and the mileage under construction at  
471.4 miles. This year's report shows  
that the actual mileage of the Com-  
pany has advanced to 10,480.9 miles  
and that it has 983.3 miles of new  
track under construction. This means  
that the C. P. R. has under construc-  
tion almost three miles of track for  
every working day in the year.

While most of the new track is, of  
course, being laid west of Winnipeg,  
there are also a number of new ex-  
tensions being built in Eastern Cana-  
da. The new grain route from Vic-  
toria Harbor to Bothany, being the  
largest of these extensions under con-  
struction. In Western Canada, the  
Saskatchewan Division of the road  
will construct the greatest amount of  
new track. Here the C. P. R. has  
under construction 525.5 miles, distrib-  
uted as follows: Moose Jaw, south-  
westerly 35 miles; Outlook to Ker-  
robert, 102.4 miles; Kerrobert, north-  
east 25 miles; Forward, westerly 46  
miles; Estevan to Forward, 55 miles;  
Craven to Bulyea, 21 miles; Regina to  
Colonsay, 133.1 miles; Swift Current,  
southeast 45 miles; Wilkie to Anglin,  
31 miles; Wilkie, northwest 32 miles.

On the Alberta Division, construc-  
tion work is going on as follows:  
Irreana, east 36.7 miles; Bassano to  
junction, with Kininville, northwest  
35.5 miles; Swift Current, northwest  
35 miles; Carmangay to Aldersyde,  
56.3 miles; Galloway to Waldo, 13.4  
miles; Castor, east 60 miles.

### The White Whale.

In the northern seas and many of  
the rivers is found the white whale,  
or the retic beluga. The creatures  
are quite common in certain locali-  
ties, and especially at certain seasons  
of the year. They are pure white in  
color and quite handsome, darting  
swiftly about in the cold, clear waters  
of the northern rivers. An ordinary  
specimen measures from 10 to 16 feet  
in length, and has a large muzzle-like  
mouth, filled with long, sharp teeth,  
with which it snaps up its fish food  
very quickly. It swims very rapidly  
by doubling its tail beneath its body  
and striking backward with a power-  
ful stroke, which sends it forward fast  
enough to overtake most all the fish  
in those northern waters.

The natives capture them in nets  
and with harpoons. The flesh is used  
as food in certain seasons, and a very  
fine grade of oil is rendered from it.  
The skins are prepared and tanned  
into leather, which is often sold as  
the hide of the porpoise.

### "Book of Martyrs."

The withdrawal from the sale by  
auction of the Bunyan copy of "Foxe's  
Book of Martyrs" reminds us that  
Cobbett in his "History of the Refor-  
mation" savagely attacks Fox and  
his work, and in one instance at least  
Cobbett seems to prove his case. Here  
is the excerpt:—"As a proof of Fox's  
total disregard of truth, there was in  
the next reign a Protestant parson,  
as Anthony Wood (a Protestant) tells  
us, who in a sermon related, on the  
authority of Fox, that a Catholic of  
the name of Grimwood had been, as  
Fox said, a great enemy of the Gps-  
pellers, had been punished by a judg-  
ment of God, and that his bowels  
fell out of his body." Grimwood was  
not only alive at the time when the  
sermon was preached, but happened  
to be present in the church, and he  
brought an action of defamation  
against the preacher!" The circum-  
stances will be found in Athenae Oxon-  
ienses, Ed. Liiss, ii., 789.

### Willing to Admit It.

"That milk looks as if it were  
half water," protested the woman at  
the kitchen door.

"It is much more than that,  
ma'am," replied the milkman, a col-  
lege graduate in reduced circum-  
stances. "I guarantee it to be 86 per  
cent. water, 4 per cent. butter, 3.12 per  
cent. casein and 6.12 per cent. sugar  
and various salts, the combination re-  
sulting in the liquid commonly known  
as milk. Chemical analysis of the  
same cheerfully furnished whenever  
desired. Good morning, ma'am."

### A Delicate Question.

The Worker (consulting solicitor)—  
"S' like this 'ere, mister: Sposin' two  
blokes—same's might be you and me  
—a drinkin' a glass o' beer. Feller  
comes up and says, 'That's my beer.'  
"I beg yours," we says. "Or right,"  
sezee, bungs one of 'em in the eye,  
drinks 'is beer and says, 'Paid yer  
for that glass an' chance it!' Now,  
wot I wants to know is—can 'e do  
'at like in law?—London Sketch.

### An Eye to the Future.

"Good morning, ma'am. Can't I sell  
you a preparation warranted to kill  
rats and mice?"  
"I think not. There hasn't been  
a rat or a mouse on the premises for  
more than two years."  
"You'll have some before long. I've  
just sold the neighbors on both sides  
of you some stuff they wanted to kill  
off your seven cats with, and it'll do  
it, ma'am."

### Useless Talk

"How's business?" said the man in  
the barber's chair.  
"Oh, I've plenty of it, but a lot of it  
is unsatisfactory."  
"What do you mean by unsatisfac-  
tory?"  
"Why, you know, I shave the men  
up in the deaf and dumb asylum."

## Eczema Always Burning and Itching



Mr. N.  
Ostiguy.

Used Box of Cuticura Ointment and  
It Completely Disappeared.

"I have suffered from eczema for two years.  
The trouble began on one arm where there  
appeared a red spot of about a five-cent size,  
and it always widened, all the time itching  
and burning. The first days I didn't care,  
but seeing that it gained in size, I tried  
— Ointment and — Ointment, but both  
without success. It was always burning and  
itching. Having seen in the newspaper the  
advertisement of the Cuticura Remedies, I  
tried a little, and seeing that it improved,  
I bought a box of the Cuticura Ointment.  
After having used one box, my eczema com-  
pletely disappeared. The Cuticura Ointment  
should be kept in every home." (Signed)  
N. Ostiguy, Mariville, Que., Jan. 14, 1911.

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For more than a generation Cuticura Soap  
and Cuticura Ointment have afforded the  
speediest and most economical treatment for  
itching, burning, scaly and bleeding skin and  
scalp humors, of young and old. A single  
set is often sufficient. Sold by druggists  
and dealers everywhere. For a liberal sample  
of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, post-free  
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Pottier Drug & Chem. Corp., sole props., 64  
Columbus Ave., Boston, U. S. A.

## Good For You

You can't have a clear brain,  
active muscles and firm  
nerves, if your bowels are  
sluggish; but see what a help  
to you will be a few doses of

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25c.

### The "Wellington" Hat

for men. Canadian-made. Guar-  
anteed best hat value in Canada.  
All sizes and shapes in soft and  
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Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been  
used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of  
MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE  
TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT  
SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS,  
ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and  
is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is ab-  
solutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs.  
Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other  
kind! Twenty-five cents a bottle.

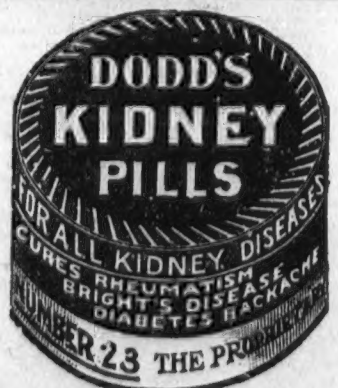
### An Ominous Motto

Among the presents lately showered  
upon a dusky bride in a rural section  
of Virginia was one that was the gift  
of an old woman with whom both  
bride and groom were favorites.

Some time ago, it appears, the old  
woman accumulated a supply of card-  
board mottoes, which she worked and  
had framed as occasion arose.

So it happened that in a neat com-  
bination of blues and reds, suspended  
by a cord of orange, there hung over  
the table whereon the other presents  
were displayed for the delectation of  
the wedding guests this motto: "Fight  
on, Fight Ever."—Lippincott's.

No matter how large a girl's hat  
may be, it doesn't protect her lips on  
a moonlight night.



W. N. U., No. 864.



## CONDENSED ADS. AND LODGE NOTICES

**Young Pigs Wanted**  
HIGHEST PRICE paid for young pigs.  
J. H. Cameron, Mayton, Alta. 47-52\*

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Good competent girl to assist with general house work on a farm three and a half miles from town, wages \$20.00 per month; or man and wife without children; man for farm and dairy. Apply to Box 13 Carstairs.

**FOR SALE**  
ONE FANCY PARLOR COAL STOVE, and one Ladies furnished long coat for sale cheap. Apply to R. McCue.

**ESTRAY**  
ONE BAY HORSE with white spot on forehead two white hind feet, lame on right fore foot, branded on right hip. One bay horse white spot on forehead three white feet branded with four or five dots in form of a square on the left shoulder. Last seen about a mile east of Innisfail. \$5.00 reward, Archie Lusk, Huxley.

**Found**  
FOUND—LADIES COAT: Owner may obtain the same by paying the cost of this adv. Enquire at News office.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—a Good Girl for general housework—Apply to John H. Cameron, Mayton.

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Eye Sight Specialist of Taube Optical Co. Calgary will make regular visits here. For Dates Enquire at Perrin's Drug Store.  
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## Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and British Columbia may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2500 acres will be leased to or an applicant.  
Application for a lease must be made to the Agent or Sub-agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.  
In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections and in unsurveyed territory the track applied for shall be staked out.  
Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.  
The person operating the mines shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns, monthly, accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty hereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.  
The lease will include the coal mining rights only but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.  
The Minister may reserve for an applicant the coal mining rights under 2500 acres of contiguous lands for two years. Application for such right must be made to the Agent. Fee \$100.00. An expenditure at the rate of \$1 an acre per annum, in prospecting by recognized methods, must be incurred.  
For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.  
W. W. CORY  
Deputy Minister of the Interior

## Directors Meeting

A lengthy meeting of the Directors of the Bowden Agricultural Society was held on Saturday the 23rd inst in McCue's hall to make final arrangements for the fair, which will be held on Tuesday next, the 3rd Oct. The president, Mr F. Gilliland, occupied the chair, the other directors present being Messrs I. Teeling, W. Rutledge, Wilson, Graham, W. Walton, J. Black, Wm. Hiltz, and E. W. Shenfield.

The minutes of former meeting read and confirmed on motion by Graham-Rutledge.

The secretary read communications from Secretary of Alberta Fairs Association re Rly fares of Delegates to Convention and also from Superintendent of Fairs re Judges which on motion were ordered filed.

The following accounts were presented for payment and ordered paid.

Bowden News, printing prize list 51.40  
Hall rent 2.00

The following alteration in prize list was ordered, on motion.

In classes 6, 7, and 8, sections 1, and 2, were ordered to read,

Sec 1 aged bull  
2, bull 2 and under 3  
2a, bull 1 and under 2.

The following were appointed stewards for fair-day.

Horses, Messrs Black and Graham; cattle, Chas. Hayes; hogs, Messrs E. Walton and Wilson; sheep, H. B. Hengstler; poultry, H. Diehl; dairy dept, R. McCue; roots and vegetables, A. Stinson; grain and grasses, Wm. Hiltz; school work, Miss Dixon; ladies work, Miss Greer and Miss Hayward; miscellaneous, Mrs. Diehl and Mrs. L. Bernard.

Ground Stewards, Messrs Gilliland, Hiltz, and Teeling.

Sports Committee, Messrs W. Rutledge, McCue, Adam, and E. W. Shenfield.

The arrangements for refreshment booth was left in hands of secretary.

It was agreed the following be asked to act as judges.

Poultry, Mr G. W. Scott; dairy products, Messrs Scott and Hunter; roots and vegetables, Messrs Potts and Rand; grains and grasses, Messrs Center and Archer; school work, Mr Armitstead and Miss Cameron; ladies work, Mrs. Adam, Mrs. Yates, and Mrs. C. P. Anderson; miscellaneous, Mrs. Rutledge, and Mrs. Prowse; gopher tails, Mr McLean.

On motion, Messrs E. J. Buchanan and Christie were appointed auditors.

H. E. Shenfield, Sec.

## OLDS NEWS

Mr Donald Anderson of Calgary was in Olds on the 22nd.

S. J. Craig bought E. Bell's paint shop property Friday.

Mr and Mrs Jas. H. Johnson were Calgary visitors this week.

H. S. Steele and party are up from Calgary looking into the duck question this week.

Mr Chas. Caren went to Botha Monday to see his uncle J. N. Kenney.

J. W. Jackson of Edmonton is looking after his real estate interests in the Olds district this week.

Rev J. Milton Williams is holding pre-tracer meetings in Didsbury this week.

Mr and Mrs R. J. Cutten were Calgary visitors the fore part of this week.

Tom Greigg brought back the bride this week. Well done Tom. Many years of happy wedded life is our wish to you.

Dr H. P. Kenney left for Botha Monday, where his father J. N. Kenney is lying dangerously ill and very little hopes held out for his recovery.

A. M. Bush shot three fine geese Monday along with a large bag of ducks. When the chicken season opens, the hunting will be good.

Olds is to have a new Post Office. S. J. Craig has started work on a two storey cement block building, two doors south of the present site.

Didsbury holds its fall fair on Oct 4th. Among other attractions the Calgary Victoria Base Ball team will try conclusions with the Didsbury ball tossers.

John Bush who has been laid up with typhoid for the past eight weeks is now out of danger, the fever having left him, but it will be some time before John is selling stamps again.

We are sorry to announce the death of Daniel Hutton. Mr Hutton has been ailing for some time from paralysis. The messenger of death called just before noon, Tuesday. Mr Hutton is an old timer here and was respected by all who knew him.

Guy Hall is renewing acquaintance in Olds. Mr Hall has been away from Olds for several years and is agreeably surprised with the progress we have made here both in Olds and the surrounding district.

W. W. Hunter's big shipment of purebred horses arrived in Olds Monday. Mr Hunter succeeded in getting a fine bunch of horses which will be a good thing for this part of Canada. The shipment consists of 35 Percherons from France, 8 Clides from Scotland, 4 Shires from England and 3 Belgians from Belgium. The journey was made in 27 days and the horses landed in good condition.

Glenn Allan Reed, 5 year old son of Mr and Mrs C. G. Reed had the misfortune to have the little finger of his left hand cut off last Monday. He was playing around the sickle of a mowing machine, when it seems the man running the machine turned the pitman rod. It was some time before anyone knew the accident happened, as the little fellow didn't feel it having returned to the house before he felt any pain.

Messrs Reed and Gillies, three miles north of Olds held a successful sale of stock, implements, and household goods Wednesday. The first thing sold was the horses, the first six bringing \$1645.00. The first team put under the hammer brought \$650. This is not bad for just farm horses. There was a small crowd owing to the weather, being ideal for getting in the harvest.

## THE CHURCHES

### PRESBYTERIAN

Presbyterian Church Services next Sunday will be conducted at Lone Pine 11.30, Bowden 3 p.m. Subject "The Hidden Ways of God". You are cordially invited to attend.

### METHODIST

A special Song Service will be held this Sunday evening, Oct 1st at 7.30, when the new Canadian Hymnbook will be introduced. Mrs Howard will sing a solo. Mr Hunter will play the violin. Miss Jessie Shenfield will preside at the organ and the Rev F. E. Davies will preach Subject: "The power of Sacred Song". Hearty singing of well known hymns. All come.

On Fair Day, the Methodist Ladies Aid will serve refreshments in the new blacksmith shop, (by kind permission of Mr McBlane). There will also be a sale of useful and fancy articles. A general invitation is given to all Methodist friends to assist with gifts of food or articles, also their personal service; and the kind patronage of all visitors to the fair is earnestly solicited.

On Sunday afternoon, Oct 8, in the Methodist Church the Rev H. E. Gordon, B.A. of Edmonton, will preach on the important question of "Local Option". This is a matter of vital importance to all Christians and Rev Gordon is well worth hearing. Whatever your opinion is on this question we want you to come.

## Fred H. Hunter

Manager of the White Swan Creamery  
Commissioner for Taking Affidavits

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We have also much pleasure in announcing an extensive purchase of Ladies Top Skirts at 1.95 in blue, black brown and green also Misses Top Skirts at \$1.95. These the manufacturer assures us are worth \$4.50.

In addition we have a good supply of Robin Hood Flour, General Groceries and Fruit.

Our stock of Boots and Shoes, Shirts Underwear Fur Coats and other Fur Goods is very complete. Our values are always the best and the prices the lowest anywhere.

We have many other novelties and specialties to bring before you which we will announce later.

We have served you well in the past and will do better in the future.

WM. HODGE  
**THE COLISEUM**  
Innisfail Alberta

## Fumerton's Weekly Store News

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You inspect one gown and you are sure nothing surpasses its beauty; you pass on to the next and the next and find new and added beauty. Prices range from

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**Men's Corduroy** with belt  
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